



80041DMW

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Andrew C. Gallagher, et al

A METHOD FOR ENHANCING THE  
EDGE CONTRAST OF A DIGITAL  
IMAGE INDEPENDENTLY FROM  
THE TEXTURE

Serial No. US 09/470,604

Filed 22 December 1999

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Group Art Unit: 2721

Batch:

Allowed:

Examiner:

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited today with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.

*Robin G. Reeves*  
Robin G. Reeves

4/14/00  
Date

RECEIVED  
APR 24 2000  
TECH CENTER 2700

LETTER TO THE OFFICIAL DRAFTSPERSON

Enclosed are 12 sheets of formal drawings depicting Figure(s) 1-15. Please substitute these drawings for those currently on file in the subject application.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees in connection with this communication to Eastman Kodak Company Deposit Account No. 05-0225. A duplicate copy of this letter is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

*David M. Woods*

David M. Woods  
Attorney for Applicants  
Registration No. 27,171

DMW/RGR  
Telephone: (716) 477-5256  
Facsimile: (716) 477-4646